



# Fort Dickerson Gateway Park Project



THE ASLAN FOUNDATION

**Project Description:** In 2015 the City of Knoxville completed the \$1.4 million Fort Dickerson Roadway Realignment Project that included the addition of a much-needed traffic signal for the park's main entrance off of Chapman Highway. Fort Dickerson Road was realigned with Woodlawn Pike and now includes approximately a new two-lane road complete with sidewalk access. City officials are now preparing to move forward with construction of the park's entrance improvements, which include landscaping, signage, a new transit stop and a decorative veneer for the 30-foot-high retaining wall. In 2015, the Aslan Foundation acquired adjacent property and then donated this property to the City to be used as part of the landscaping improvement project.



## Schedule:

Bid Opening: March 31, 2016

Notice to Proceed: September 20, 2016

Contract Completion Date: March 24, 2017

**Current Contract Price:** \$ 806,000

**Engineering Department December 2016 Status:** The construction contract was approved at the June 7, 2016 Council Meeting. A pre-construction meeting was held July 13, 2016. The contractor is currently constructing sidewalks and the stone retaining walls.

**Project Designer:** Carol R. Johnson Associates Inc.

**Construction Contractor:** Hickory Construction, Inc.

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